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## SENATE ACTION CAUSES WORRY

Officials See Two-Edged Effect  
of Adoption of Substitute for  
Peace Resolution.

## PRESIDENT IS WEAKENED

Refusal to Give Unlimited In-  
dorsement Takes From  
Force of Peace Moves.

Overnight consideration by Admin-  
istration officials of the adoption by  
the Senate of the Jones' substitute  
for the Hitchcock peace resolution  
has left a dubious feeling concerning  
the effect abroad.

While the language of the measure,  
as passed, makes it appear that the  
Senate has indorsed the action of Mr.  
Wilson in requesting from the belliger-  
ents a statement of their peace terms,  
the Senate just as emphatically  
recorded itself, by its rejection of the  
Hitchcock resolution, as unwilling to  
indorse the President's utterances  
in the note concerning the obligations  
which the United States is willing to  
assume in the maintenance of future  
peace.

### President Weakened.

To the extent that the Senate  
limits its indorsement of the President's  
action, and to the extent that the  
debate brought forth vigorous criticism  
of the contents of the note, to that  
extent, officials fear, will the  
passage of the resolution weaken the  
position of the President in his further  
efforts to bring the belligerents  
together.

Among trained officials of the State  
Department it is felt that it would  
have been far better if the matter  
had never been brought before Congress.

### Embarrassing Position.

When, however, he found Senator  
Hitchcock and others among the  
Democrats, including those with large  
German-American constituencies, de-  
termined to take action, he felt that  
absolute defeat of the measure by a  
refusal of the Senate to indorse his  
peace moves in any sense, would place  
him in an extremely embarrassing  
position with the foreign powers with  
whom he is trying to deal. Therefore,  
it is stated, pressure was brought to  
bear by the Administration leaders in  
the Senate in support of the  
Hitchcock measure.

That they were unable to hold their  
forces in line to the end, and were  
compelled to accept the Jones' sub-  
stitute was due to the brilliant attack  
of Senator Borah of Idaho on the  
portion of the President's note that  
seemed to suggest that the United  
States was prepared to enter into a  
league of nations to enforce peace  
after the present war is concluded.

### Agreed to Substitute.

No striking were the arguments  
brought forth by the recognized leader  
of the Progressive Republicans,  
that, in the very middle of his pre-  
pared speech, the majority wing of  
the Senate, including even Senator  
Hitchcock himself, capitulated and  
agreed to accept the Jones' substitute.

In masterful fashion Senator Borah  
tore down the fabric of theory about  
which leading members of the coun-  
try have built the ambitious program  
of the League to Enforce Peace. While  
it has been stated privately that Pres-  
ident Wilson's ideas concerning the  
future maintenance of peace do not  
involve a combination of powers  
pledged to the use of force to main-  
tain peace, but rather a league of  
"moral suasion," Senator Borah showed  
that from the President's promise,  
in his note, that the United States  
was prepared to contribute all its in-  
fluence and resources in support of  
an international agreement to safe-  
guard peace and the integrity of  
smaller nations, the country was com-  
pelled to infer that he was prepared  
to sacrifice the traditional American  
policy of holding aloof from "entan-  
gling" European alliances.

## LAUNDRY IS LOOTED

Combination to Safe Is Worked, \$85  
Taken.

Thieves broke into a branch office  
of the Yale Laundry at 517 Tenth  
street northwest, last night or early  
this morning, worked the combination  
of the safe, and escaped with \$85 in  
cash.

Mrs. Alina Kendrick, manager of  
the office, said that when she reached  
the place about 8 o'clock this morn-  
ing she found the front door unlock-  
ed. Going inside she saw the safe  
open and the contents gone. Among  
the cash was a \$5 gold piece dated  
1888.

## SENTENCED TO CHURCH

Man Must Go Once Week for Year  
for Ill-Treating Wife.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Magistrate  
Harry Miller, in Jamaica sentenced a  
man to attend church services once a  
week for a year. Robert Armstrong,  
sixty-three, of Ridgewood, was ac-  
cused of ill treating his wife, Amelia,  
after forty years of happy married  
life.

It is direct that next Sunday, and  
every Sunday throughout the year,  
you attend at least one service," said  
the magistrate. "You are on proba-  
tion. Fail and you probably will be  
sent to the workhouse."

Atlantic Coast Line.  
Florida—August—Cuba—South.  
Grains daily, 100 New York ave. n. w.  
Advertisement.

## SCIENCE DISCOVERS SECRET OF GROWTH

California University Man Isola-  
tes Substance Which Con-  
trols Physical Growth.

BERKELEY, Cal., Jan. 6.—The secret  
of how to make a short man tall and  
a tall man shorter, is within the grasp  
of science, according to Dr. T. B.  
Robertson of the University of Cali-  
fornia, in a statement today.

Announcement has been made by the  
biochemistry department of the uni-  
versity, that tetelin, the substance  
which controls growth, has been iso-  
lated. This substance, a fluid, is de-  
clared to be in the pituitary body at  
the base of the brain and the scientists  
believe that by retarding or accelerat-  
ing its actions, it may ultimately be  
possible to control human stature.

One important phase of the univer-  
sity's announcement is the fact that ex-  
periments have demonstrated that  
tetelin accelerates greatly the growth  
of cancer. Dr. Robertson believes that  
ultimately a process will be found for  
controlling the functions of the sub-  
stance in cancer and thus possibly ef-  
fecting a control over the dread dis-  
ease.

## NAVAL OFFICERS TO BE PROMOTED

More Than a Hundred to Be  
Advanced Under Selec-  
tive System.

President Wilson today approved a  
list of 117 naval officers who have  
been recommended for promotion by  
the board of rear admirals on selec-  
tion to fill existing and anticipated  
vacancies.

The board's recommendations call  
for promotion of eleven captains to be  
rear admirals, twenty-nine command-  
ers to be captains, and seventy-seven  
lieutenant commanders to be com-  
manders.

Today's list of promotions marks  
the inauguration of the selection sys-  
tem in the Navy, by which officers are  
to be selected for promotion on merit  
instead of being advanced by senior-  
ity, the time-honored naval custom.

### Captains Advanced.

The list of captains promoted to  
rear admirals is as follows:

Capt. Harry S. Knapp, former mem-  
ber of the general and joint boards  
and member of the Government board,  
now commanding the cruiser-squad-  
ron of the Atlantic fleet in Dominican  
waters.

Capt. William L. Rodgers, formerly  
commanding the Delaware and later  
member of general board with station  
here.

Capt. Harry McL. P. Huse, former  
chief of staff of the Atlantic fleet. Re-  
cently president of the naval exam-  
ining and retiring board at navy yard  
here.

Capt. George W. McElroy, who has  
been on inspection duty in the bureau  
of steam engineering.

To Be Rear Admiral of Line.

Capt. Robert S. Griffin, now chief  
of the bureau of steam engineering at  
the Navy Department. Captain Griffin  
now has the rank of rear admiral  
which goes with his post of chief of  
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## ROOKIES WANT MEAT

Policemen to Live on 20-Cent Diet  
Have Big Appetites.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The appetites  
of the twelve police rookies who are  
to undergo a volunteer dietary of  
three weeks, beginning Monday,  
would do justice to a Lucullus.

In preparation for the task, Miss  
Eula McClary, the dietitian, who will  
have charge of the squad, visited  
them at police headquarters. Now  
each of the modern twelve disciples  
has pledged himself to live in luxury  
on 20 cents a day for each of the days  
in the three weeks' experiment. With  
this idea in mind, Miss McClary asked  
each volunteer his preference in the  
matter of food.

All expressed a decided preference  
for roast beef, roast chicken, roast  
veal, lamb, and mutton chops, with  
the usual trimmings.

## PORTFOLIO FOR ARREDONDO

He Is to Sit in Carranza Cabinet,  
Is Report.

QUERETARO, Mexico, Jan. 6.—It  
is generally understood in de facto  
government official circles that Am-  
bassador Arredondo will be offered  
the portfolio of minister of Govern-  
ment. Arredondo is believed to look  
with favor on this new task, and  
will be designated by Carranza for  
the place immediately upon his ar-  
rival here.

Otherwise he will return to Wash-  
ington, according to reports from so-  
cially reliable sources. Arredondo  
is due to arrive at Laredo,  
Tex., tonight en route to Queretaro.

The Carranza government will  
heartily receive and officially wel-  
come the arrival of Ambassador  
Fletcher from the United States.

## LOSES HER \$25,000 SUIT

Wife Charged Wealthy Father-in-  
Law With Alienation.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The \$25,000  
suit of Mrs. Wilhelmina de Jonge  
against her father-in-law, Augustus  
S. de Jonge, wealthy New York  
jeweler, has been dismissed.

Supreme Court Justice Clark, at  
Richmond, S. I., decided there was no  
cause for action.

Mrs. de Jonge claimed her hus-  
band's affections had been alienated  
by the father, and that she had been  
deserted as a consequence. The tes-  
timony of several witnesses for the  
wife was heard.

## MODEL'S DEATH STILL Baffles

Police Unable to Find Any Mo-  
tive to Prove That Lewis  
Committed Crime.

## ROBBERY IDEA IS SCOUTED

Circumstantial Evidence, How-  
ever, Grows More and More  
Complete Hourly.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6.—A sub-  
stantial motive which would prove  
why Bernard Wesley Lewis, wealthy  
Pittsburgh youth, murdered Marie  
Colbert, whose battered body was  
found in her uptown apartment one  
week ago today, was still a mystery  
today.

While the suicide of Lewis in an At-  
lantic City hotel, when police went  
to arrest him in connection with the  
crime, is taken by detectives as a  
"confession of guilt," a reason for  
his act is unknown.

### Not Backed by Fact.

Captain of Detectives Tate's theory  
that Lewis asked the girl for money  
and killed her for purposes of rob-  
bery when she refused is not backed  
up by a single fact.

The chain of circumstantial evi-  
dence the police have woven about  
Lewis as the murderer was almost  
complete today. It was learned that  
the day after Miss Colbert was beat-  
en and then strangled to death, the  
Pittsburgh society man engaged  
rooms at the Hotel Adolphus under  
an assumed name.

### Had Engagement.

Information is reported to be in  
the hands of the police showing that  
Lewis had an engagement with Miss  
Colbert the day she met her death.

Lewis and Miss Colbert met nine  
years ago—when the model was sev-  
enteen. Their love was true then,  
and they expected to be married.  
Lewis' social-loving parents objected  
strenuously, it is said, and the ten-  
tative engagement was broken. That  
was at Jamestown, N. Y., when the  
suicide was a Yale student.

### Entered Sordid Career.

From the minute social distinctions  
separated her from the boy of her  
dreams, Marie Colbert, known in the  
lake resort as a "country beauty," en-  
tered the sordid career that ended in  
death.

Lewis and Miss Colbert did not  
meet again until three years ago.

The old infatuation once more grip-  
ped him, and their acquaintance grew,  
the police say, until the murder.

## HEAR STREET RAILWAY CASE

Question of Jurisdiction Before I.  
C. C. Today.

Arguments on the issue of jurisdic-  
tion over the Capital Traction and  
Washington and Old Dominion Rail-  
ways, with respect to enforcement of  
the interchange of transfers are be-  
ing heard by the commission today.

C. Elton James and other patrons  
of the Washington and Old Dominion  
lines filed complaint with the com-  
mission asking that body to order re-  
sumption of transfer arrangements.

"Question of jurisdiction was raised  
by the Capital Traction and Wash-  
ington and Old Dominion, and the ar-  
guments of counsel are by direction  
of the commission being held to this  
issue."

The Public Utilities Commission of  
the District ordered restitution of the  
transfer arrangement between the two  
roads, and assessed a fine against  
the Washington and Old Dominion  
for failure to issue or honor transfers  
suit to enforce payment of this fine  
is now pending in the District Su-  
preme Court.

## BONUS FOR 45,000 MINERS

Soft Coal Operators Allow Workers  
Ten Per Cent.

CLEARFIELD, Pa., Jan. 6.—The  
Association of Bituminous Coal Op-  
erators of Central Pennsylvania  
adopted a resolution yesterday rec-  
ommending that all of its members  
grant their employes a 10 per cent  
bonus based on the men's earnings  
dating from January 1, 1917. The  
operators reserve the right to sus-  
pend payment of the bonus at minus  
that are forced to shut down because  
of strikes.

James Purcell, president of District  
No. 2, United Mine Workers of  
America, received a copy of the res-  
olution tonight with the request that  
he advise all local unions under his  
jurisdiction of the operators' action.

About 45,000 mine workers are em-  
ployed in the central Pennsylvania  
field.

## OHIO ABSCONDER RETURNS

Former Congressman Cassidy Goes  
Back to Pay Debts.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 6.—James H.  
Cassidy, former Congressman and  
long secretary to former United States  
Senator Theodore E. Burton, returned  
to this city today after having been  
missing for two years. His departure  
followed the discovery of a shortage  
of \$19,000 in his accounts as re-  
ceiver of the Cleveland and Pittsburgh  
Coal Company.

Cassidy was under bond at the time  
of his disappearance and this was for-  
feited and he was removed from his  
recovery. No action was ever be-  
gun against him. His attorney said  
today he was here on business and  
was gradually wiping out the claims  
against him.

# PEACE LEAK PROVED, GARDNER TELLS COMMITTEE, SAYS PROBE CAN'T BE "WHITEWASH AFFAIR"

Indignant Denials by All Men-  
tioned in Leak Probe  
Flood Congress.

## R. W. BOLLING TO APPEAR

President's Brother-in-Law Will  
Disclaim All Knowledge Be-  
fore Probers.

## BARUCH DIDN'T SEE TUMUL

Otto Kahn Also Appeals for Op-  
portunity to Make  
Statement.

R. W. Bolling, President Wilson's  
brother-in-law, whose name was men-  
tioned by Congressman Wood at yes-  
terday's session of the House Rules  
Committee's inquiry into Thomas W.  
Lawson's leak charges, will demand  
the right to make a statement to the  
probers.

The President's relative said today  
he would reiterate the sweeping de-  
nial published in The Times yesterday  
in which he said rumors that he had  
advance information concerning the  
peace note were "untrue and absurd."

F. A. Connolly, head of the broker-  
age firm at 1408 New York avenue,  
of which Bolling is a member, also  
said he would ask to be heard by  
the committee. Mr. Connolly said that  
in view of the fact that his firm's  
name had been mentioned in connec-  
tion with the investigation, he be-  
lieved he was entitled to go before  
the committee and make a statement.

### Indignant Denials.

Meanwhile, the committee continues  
to receive indignant denials from per-  
sons whose names were brought into  
the inquiry in a rather indefinite  
fashion yesterday by Congressman  
Wood of Indiana.

Following the denial of Secretary  
Tumulty and the President's brother-  
in-law, R. W. Bolling, of rumors  
that they might have been connected  
with the "leak," Chairman Henry laid  
before the committee today a tele-  
gram from Otto Kahn, of Kuhn, Loeb  
& Co., criticizing Congressman Wood  
for bringing Mr. Kahn's name into  
the controversy.

### Appeals For Opportunity.

Asserting that he had never sold  
a share of stock short and had no  
information about the peace note,  
Mr. Kahn appealed for an opportunity  
to appear before the Rules Commit-  
tee and testify in refutation of "this  
calumny."

"On the heels of this came a denial  
from Barney Baruch, now in Geor-  
gia, S. C., on a hunting trip, saying:  
"I received no advance information  
or intimation from any source re-  
garding the President's peace note,  
nor did I lunch or confer with Mr.  
Tumulty at the Baltimore or at any  
other place."

### "Mistaken Identity."

Information comes from New York  
that the only A. Curtis interested in  
stock operations is Allen Curtis, of  
the stock exchange firm of Curtis &  
Sanger.

The firm got in touch with Mr. Cur-  
tis in Boston and asked him if he  
had written Congressman Wood a  
letter. He sharply replied:  
"Mistaken identity. I never wrote  
anyone."

## PENFIELD'S AIDS ARE ILL

Only One Member of Embassy Staff  
at Vienna on Duty.

VIENNA (via London), Jan. 6.—As  
a result of illness the entire staff of  
the American embassy here has been  
disorganized. U. Grant Smith, coun-  
sellor of the embassy, has left Vienna  
for the United States to recuperate  
from a nervous breakdown after be-  
ing in a sanitarium for several weeks.  
Frederic H. Dolbeare, the second sec-  
retary, left a few days ago for Amer-  
ica in order to recover from an opera-  
tion for appendicitis which was fol-  
lowed by a severe attack of diph-  
theria.

Allen W. Dulles, third secretary,  
is convalescing at the home of Am-  
bassador Penfield from a severe at-  
tack of rheumatic fever. Sheldon H.  
Crosby, first secretary, was operated  
on for appendicitis this week. Only  
the second secretary, Rutherford Bling-  
ham, is on duty.

## NO REDRESS FOR GAMBLERS

Court Decides Speculators Buy on  
Margin at Own Risk.

DENVER, Jan. 6.—Persons who de-  
liberately buy stocks on margin do so  
entirely at their own risk, and if  
the market goes against them, and  
they lose their investments, they can  
have no action against the brokers  
with whom they dealt, nor are they  
entitled to legal redress.

Such is the substance of an opinion  
handed down by United States Dis-  
trict Judge Robert E. Lewis, in the  
case of Sam and Max Levy, Denver  
brokers, indicted in Arizona on five  
counts of using the mails to defraud  
stock investors of the Southwest.

Judge Lewis turned down the appli-  
cation for the warrant of removal of  
the Levy brothers to Arizona, and dis-  
charged them from custody.

## GARDNER'S PLAN FOR LOCATING LEAK ON PRESIDENT'S NOTE.

It seems to me that the right way to go about the mat-  
ter is to find out from the President who he talked this peace  
note over with, and then summon these various gentlemen  
and find out whether there was any way in which they  
might inadvertently have let the cat out of the bag.

Next, I should get a list of those employees of the White  
House and the State Department and of our embassies  
abroad who handled this particular peace note.

I think you will find that list quite formidable in length.  
In our embassies abroad, for instance, it is, I understand,  
the custom for two men to work together in deciphering all  
code dispatches.

Simultaneously with the foregoing investigation from  
this end of the line, I should make inquiry through the me-  
dium of the New York Stock Exchange as to who the  
parties were who reaped the largest profits from the abrupt  
fall in prices on December 21.

By comparing the results of these investigations from  
two different ends of the line, you will, in my opinion, arrive  
at one of two results:

First, either you will discover the man through whom  
the leak originated, or,

Second, you will find that the methods of communicat-  
ing such dispatches to foreign governments and to the pub-  
lic ought to be radically changed. The attainment of either  
of these objects is well worth the pains of an investigation.  
—Statement read today before Rules Committee by Con-  
gressman A. P. Gardner.

## WAR CONFERENCE PEACE NOTE REPLY

Both Sets of Belligerents Plan  
New Military Moves in  
Concert.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Interest centered to-  
day in war—not in peace.

Two conferences—the one by the al-  
lies, the other by highest officials of  
the central powers—were cited to in-  
dicate that both sets of belligerents in-  
tended to make answer to the various  
peace notes with force of arms.

### Conference at Rome.

The allies' conference was at Rome.  
It was a meeting of the prime ministers  
and cabinet officials of the entente na-  
tions. For England, Premier Lloyd-  
George and Lord Milner, member of the  
"war council," were present. France  
was represented by Premier Briand,  
Minister of War Loyau, and Minister  
of Munitions and Manufactures Thomas.  
Russia sent General Palaitin, of the gen-  
eral staff.

It was officially characterized as a  
"get together" session for interchange  
of views. It was taken here to fore-  
cast a more vigorous prosecution of  
the war.

### No News of Topie.

The German conference was reported  
in dispatches emanating from Vienna,  
detailing "an important conference" at  
the field camp of Kaiser Wilhelm. Pres-  
ent were the Kaiser, Field Marshal  
Archduke Frederick, commander-in-  
chief of Austria-Hungary's armies;  
Field Marshal von Hoetzendorf, chief  
of staff of the Austrian armies; Crown  
Prince Boris of Bulgaria; Field Mar-  
shal von Hindenburg, and Quarterm-  
aster-General von Ludendorff.

The Teutonic caucus did not permit  
dispatches to detail what was consid-  
ered at this conference, nor the reason  
why it was called.

## ROUMANIAN TOWN TAKEN.

BERLIN (via Saville wireless), Jan.  
6.—Capture of Rimnicul, Tartar,  
Olancea, Gullianca and Maximant, in  
Roumania, and penetration of German  
vanguard to the Sereth river line, was  
announced by the war office today.

## UNDER GERMAN GUNS.

BERLIN (via Saville wireless), Jan.  
6.—Galatz is within range of German  
gun fire, today's official statement said,  
describing progress in Roumania.

## PROTESTS TO DANIELS

Alifas Voices Objections of Navy  
Yard Men to New Scale.

Protests from machinists in nearly  
all navy yards against the unexpect-  
ed increase in pay recently  
granted by the Navy Department  
were presented to Secretary Daniels  
today by N. P. Alifas, president of  
District No. 44, of the International  
Association of Machinists.

Mr. Alifas told Secretary Daniels  
that a serious situation has arisen  
through dissatisfaction of the ma-  
chinists with their small wage in-  
crease. He presented ten telegrams,  
all protesting against the wage  
award, which in some cases was be-  
low the sum recommended by the  
wage board.

At Norfolk last night the machin-  
ists held a mass meeting to voice  
their protests. Mr. Alifas informed  
Secretary Daniels, and he feared some  
of the men would not return to work  
Monday, when the new wage scale is  
effective, unless the matter is ad-  
justed.

Massachusetts Congressman Is  
Star Witness at House  
Investigation.

## MEMBER ACCUSES LAWSON

Chipperfield Asserts Boston  
Financier Was Principal Ben-  
eficiary of Raid.

## WRITERS ARE SUBPOENAED

Three Financial Staffs Sum-  
moned to Appear—Breach  
of Faith Charged.

Asserting that there was unquestion-  
ably a leak to Wall Street on the Pres-  
ident's peace note, Congressman Au-  
gustus P. Gardner of Massachusetts,  
told the House Rules Committee today  
that it is duty lies in finding the source  
of this leak and in conducting an in-  
vestigation that will not be a "white-  
wash affair."

That a ticker service tipped its  
patrons at 2 p. m. on the day the Pres-  
ident's note was given out at 6 p. m.,  
was one of the outstanding allegations  
made by Congressman Gardner.

Viewing with interest with this,  
was the statement of Congressman  
Chipperfield, a member of the rules  
committee, that he understood  
Thomas W. Lawson of Boston, was the  
chief beneficiary of the bear raid  
on the market and that Lawson's  
transactions aggregated 300,000  
shares of stock.

### Financial Writers Called.

The committee ordered that the  
Washington representatives of the  
Wall Street Journal, Financial Amer-  
ica and the Central News Association,  
which furnish news of a financial and  
business nature, shall be brought be-  
fore the committee. The subpoenas  
for these men will be issued duces  
tecum; that is, "bring all papers with  
you."

Mr. Gardner informed the commit-  
tee that his New York attorney, W.  
K. Olcott, would appear Monday and  
supplement Mr. Gardner's testimony.  
Mr. Gardner said that Attorney Olcott  
would furnish a complete record of the  
ticker services in New York on Decem-  
ber 20 and also a statement of stock  
market fluctuations.

### Tumulty To Appear Soon.

Chairman Henry announced that Sec-  
retary Tumulty whose name was  
brought into the hearing yesterday  
wanted to appear soon before the com-  
mittee. Congressman Harrison said  
that Secretary Lansing had today ex-  
pressed a desire to testify.

Therefore the witnesses will be  
heard next week will include, Sec-  
retary Tumulty, Secretary Lansing,  
Thomas Lawson, Attorney W. K. Wal-  
cott, Otto Kahn, of Kuhn Loeb and  
Company, Barney Baruch and probab-  
ly Richard Widener Bolling, the Pres-  
ident's brother-in-law.

In urging the committee to conduct  
a real investigation, Congressman  
Gardner asserted that "it makes no  
sense to find how the House and  
Senate are regarded by the people  
of the United States. They think  
we are all crooks."

He demanded that Thomas W. Law-  
son be forced to prove his charges  
against members of Congress and re-  
commended that the committee adopt  
"a put up or shut up" attitude toward  
Mr. Lawson.

In his formal statement to the com-  
mittee Congressman Gardner said:

### Statement by Gardner.

"Technically under the precedent of  
the House which I cited the other  
day, I was only required to charge the  
existence of a rumor to the effect  
that there has been a leak; but I  
shall do more than that.

"On the floor of the House, I said:  
'I know there has been a leak and I  
state it without any hesitation. The  
whole stock market shows that there  
was a leak.' I might have gone  
further and added that everybody  
knows there was a leak.

A little later on I handed to Speak-  
er Clark a note in which I undertook  
the responsibility of charging that  
there was a leak, and I am here this  
morning to prefer that charge and to  
offer you preliminary prima facie  
evidence of its soundness.

### Auxiliary to Explain.

"At the outset, I am anxious to ex-  
plain my connection with the whole  
matter. It had its